



PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3653**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Tetsuo ASADA

Group Art Unit: 3653

Application No.: 10/670,333

Examiner: T. MORRISON

Filed: September 26, 2003

Docket No.: 117173

For: PAPER SEPARATION MECHANISM AND PAPER FEED APPARATUS WITH THE
PAPER SEPARATION MECHANISM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the October 13, 2005 final Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.